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**AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 19, 2005, having a shortened statutory period set to expire October 19, 2005. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time. A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee due under 37. C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1). Please charge any other fees necessary to further the prosecution of this application to **IBM Corporation Deposit Account Number 09-0447**. Please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

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